

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicants:	C. Frank Bennett, Thomas P. Condon	Confirmation No.:	5614
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Title:	OLIGONUCLEOTIDE MODULATION OF CELL ADHESION		

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Dear Sir:

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND
RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS DATED JULY 11, 2008**

In response to the Patent Office Communication mailed July 11, 2008 in connection with the above identified patent application, Applicants respectfully request that the application be amended as follows:

- ☒ **Amendments to the Application** begin on page 2 this paper.
- ☒ **Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 this paper.
- ☒ **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 3 of this paper.